

Western Gateway Heritage State Park

Department of Conservation and Recreation

JULY—AUGUST PROGRAMS

All programs are free and open to the public. An adult must accompany children. Reasonable accommodations available upon request. Please follow all current COVID guidelines. Visit Mass.gov/COVID for more guidance. For more information call **(413) 663 6312.**

Open Daily

VISITOR CENTER, BUILDING #4, 9:30 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Located in a former 19th-century freight yard. Explore exhibits highlighting the railroading history of the Hoosac Tunnel and industrial North Adams. 25-minute documentary film, restrooms, drinking water, wheelchair accessible. Guided tours available with advance notice.

Tuesday through Saturday

"I'VE BEEN WORKING ON THE RAILROAD..."

DISCOVERY TABLE, 10:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.

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Ongoing Daily

HOOSAC TUNNEL DOCUMENTARY & CROSSWORD

All ages. Enjoy a 25-minute film highlighting the sights, sounds, stories and tools used to construct the mighty Hoosac Tunnel. Then, test your memory on the Hoosac Tunnel details with a crossword puzzle.

Ongoing Daily

LINCOLN'S LAST JOURNEY, EXHIBIT

Ages 15 and older. Follow the historic 13-day mourning route of the President's funeral train from Washington D.C., to his final resting place in Springfield, Illinois.

Ongoing Daily

WILDFIRES! SUMMER SEASONAL EXHIBIT

Ages 13 and up. Discover more about one of weather's devastating consequences—wildfires! Explore the science and causes; impacts on humans, environment and wildlife; firefighting and the technology use to battle monster blazes.

